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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to a Non-final Official Action dated January 25, 2005, which carried a shortened-statutory period for response of three months so that a reply is due by April 25, 2005.

Applicant requests that the following amendments be entered: